



Poultry Programs

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TURKEY AND TURKEY PRODUCTS, INVITATION NO. 12, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-282

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell turkey and turkey products as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, Nov. 1. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Nov. 5. Deliveries are to be made from Dec. 16 to Dec. 31.

All offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?>. Offers submitted by any means other than DEBES will be considered nonresponsive.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Items listed as "KOSHER ONLY" must be produced as a Kosher product. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-282, the Commodity Specifications for Turkey and Turkey Products and Smoked Turkey Ham dated April 2004, Appendix-1, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, DC 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the World Wide Web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

Purchases of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-282, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

Bulk Pack (233390) - Bulk packed for further processing, chilled young turkeys without necks and giblets, nonbasted. Frozen may be specified. The individual turkey weight range must be 18 pounds(8.16 kg) and up per carcass weighed without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required in the Commodity Specification for Turkey and Turkey Products dated April 2004. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

Roasts (233648) - Frozen ready-to-cook turkey roasts must weigh not less than 8 pounds (3.63 kg) and not more than 12 pounds (5.44 kg). Roasts must be packaged in elasticized netting and moisture-proof casings or plastic-film bags and packed four roasts per fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will total 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

Smoked Turkey Ham (234040) - Frozen smoked turkey hams produced from nonbasted, young ready-to-cook turkey thigh meat. Hams must weigh not less than 9 pounds (4.08 kg) and not more than 11 pounds (4.99 kg), be vacuum packaged in shrinkable oxygen- and moisture-proof bags or casings, and be packed four hams per fiberboard shipping container. As an option, formulated batches may be stuffed into cook-in-film bags. A purchase unit will total 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY282
INVITATION : 012
COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 33 TURKEY, FRESH/FROZEN, BULK
PACK SIZE : 90 BULK PACKED

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/04 - 12/31/04

001	WATERTOWN	SD	TRUCK ONLY	36,000
002	TURLOCK	CA	TRUCK ONLY	36,000 *

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 72,000

***NO TOLERANCE ALLOWED** - Less than 36,000 pounds will be rejected.

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY282
INVITATION : 012
COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 36 TURKEY, ROAST, FROZEN
PACK SIZE : 48 32-48 LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/04 - 12/31/04

003	CONCORD	NH	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
004	NEWARK	NJ	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
005	ALBANY	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
006	AUBURN	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
007	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
008	HOLLEY	NY	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	MALONE	NY	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
009	MARCY	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
010	CRANSTON	RI	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
011	PLAINFIELD	VT	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
012	DELAWARE CITY	DE	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
013	SUNBURY	PA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	WILKES-BARRE	PA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
014	WILKES-BARRE	PA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
015	BARTOW	FL	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	FORT MYERS	FL	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
	ORMOND BEACH	FL	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
016	WINTER HAVEN	FL		40,000
017	DOUGLAS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	26,000
	MACON	GA	TRUCK ONLY	14,000
018	BAKERSFIELD	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
019	CORDELIA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	PLEASANT GROVE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
020	LONG BEACH	CA	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	30,000
021	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
022	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
023	VERNON	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
024	PUYALLUP	WA		80,000
025	SEATTLE	WA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
026	SPOKANE	WA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 1,000,000

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY282
INVITATION : 012
COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 40 TURKEY HAMS, SMOKED, FRZ
PACK SIZE : 40 40-LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/04 - 12/31/04

027	ROCKY HILL	CT	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
028	LINCOLN	RI	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
029	INDEPENDENCE	MO		400,000
030	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
031	CORDELIA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	30,000
032	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 600,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 1,672,000

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